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COLLEGE CALENDAR.

Sunday, October 4, Houghton Memorial Chapel. 11.00 A.M., Rev. Edward A. Noyes of Newton Center.

7.00 P.M., Vespers. Peace Service, in honor of the appointed Day of Prayer for Peace.

8.00 P.M., Billings Hall, 1918 class prayer-meeting. Leader: Miss Ruth Howe.

Tuesday, October 6, Houghton Memorial Chapel. 4.30-5.00 P.M., organ recital by Professor Macdougall.

Wednesday, October 7, Christian Association meetings, Billings Hall, 7.30 P.M. Leader: Mr. Joseph C. Robbins. Subject: "The Enrichment of Personality." St. Andrew's Church, 7.15 P.M. Leader: Ruth Hoyt, 1915. Subject: "The Balance of Life"

FIRE CAPTAINS.

Stone. Marion Shuman.
Shafer. Dorothy Ehrich.
Pomeroy. Katherine Chalmers.
Beebe. Louise Domhoff.
Cazenove. Ruth Miner.
Norumbega. Elizabeth Remsen.
Wood. Josephine Lansing.
Wilder. Ruth Richards.
Freeman. Elizabeth Williamson.
Fiske. Louise Miner.
Lake House. Virginia Viall, 1917.

THE NEW MEMBERS OF THE CHOIR.

First Sopranos: Anna Gilmore, 1918, Helen Greenhalgh, 1916, Iola Johnson, 1917, Marjorie Seeley, 1916, Alice Paton, 1918.

Second Sopranos: Rachel Donovan, 1916, Marion Gunson, 1918, Esther Parks, 1918, Bessie Whitmarsh, 1918.

Contraltos: Dorothea De Long, 1918, Elizabeth Raftery, 1916, Alice Shumway, 1917, Hazel Watts, 1916, Lois Ward, 1916, Gladys Woodward, 1916.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE AT THE PLYMOUTH THEATER.

For the Restoration and Endowment Fund.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Wright, Manager of the Plymouth Theater, and Mr. Savage, producer of the play, the performance of "Along Came Ruth" on Tuesday evening, September 22, was given for the benefit of the Restoration and Endowment Fund. The entertainment was in charge of a committee of members of the Boston Wellesley College Club and outside friends of the College. There was a large attendance, including many members of the College, Alumnæ and their friends, who were glad of this opportunity to show their interest in this first effort of the fall season to add to the fund. The amount cleared for the fund was about seven hundred and fifty dollars.

On the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, November 17, at Symphony Hall, under the auspices of the Boston Wellesley College Club, two concerts will be given by Sousa's Band, the profits of which will be given for the fund.

THE MINSTREL SHOW.

Nineteen eighteen and early-returning ones of the three upper classes, greeted the first Barn performance of the year,—a minstrel show, hastily devised and cleverly carried out by members of the Village Committee. The curtain rose upon the usual number of "Mis' Washington's and Mis' White's, Sambos and Rastuses," who gave vent to jokes of uncertain age, and, sometimes, of uncertain point; who sang and danced and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. There were interspersed by an excellent sleight-of-hand performance by a Monsieur Somebody, who held a startling resemblance to Ruth Hoyt, a very amusing monologue by Patty Travers, a "stunt" by Dorothy Walton and Pauline Snyder, orchestral productions beyond the power of words to describe, under the leadership of Dorothy Hill, and the breaking forth of a trio, after a most impressive introduction, into an uncertain "Juanita." Afterward there were dancing and refreshments. Marjorie Seeley, 1916, was chairman of the committee that managed the affair.

THE CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION RECEPTION.

"I want you to know my Freshman—." We were all there in the Art Building, old girls and new, when the Christian Association gave us its annual open-armed welcome on the first Saturday evening of College. Despite the lack of College Hall Center, the old girls greeted their friends with the same enthusiastic heartiness; the new 1918 looked on in eager anticipation of the fun next year; and one and all experienced the same hilarious struggles in nearing the receiving line and the refreshment tables.

Everyone likes to feel welcome; so we were especially happy to be greeted by President Pendleton, Rachel Davis, and Ruth Lindsay. Nor did 1914 forget us, and the telegrams from Ida Appenzeller and Betsy Limont were enthusiastically received. With "'Neath the Oaks" and "Alma Mater" came the "good-nights." Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior—we were all Wellesley and very happy that 1918 had at last come to live with us.

H. P. '16.

REPORT OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT MEETING.

The first Student Government meeting of the year was held at 4.15 P.M., Thursday, September 24, in Houghton Memorial Chapel, Rachel Davis presiding. Ruth Lindsay opened the meeting with prayer.

President Pendleton reminded us that the task of Student Government would, in view of the loss which handicaps the whole College, be a bigger one than in former years, that the responsibility which the officers of the association, the trustees and Faculty of the College would have to bear would be unusually great, but that, in the last analysis, the greatest responsibility would rest on us as individuals. She then presented, with the greetings of the Academic Council, a new gavel for the Association. This gavel is made from more of the black walnut which was used for the gavel presented to President Pendleton last spring.

After her speech of welcome, Rachel Davis read telegrams from Constance Eustis, Katherine Bingham, Margaret Elliott and Marjory Day.

The social schedule has been changed so that Monday-night lectures come on Friday, the choir and musical clubs will practise on some night other than Friday, and organizations formerly meeting on Wednesday will meet hereafter on Thursday. There is to be a box under the Student Government bulletin for suggestions and the business transactions of Student Government Committees are to be posted.

A College auditor is to be appointed who will audit the accounts of all treasurers of organizations and take charge of pay day.

Several short speeches urged us to preserve law, order and decorum, and the meeting adjourned.

BARNSWALLOW DANCES.

On September twenty-sixth, the annual Barnswallow dance opened the season of entertainment. Both afternoon and evening, a large crowd attended, and apparently everybody had a good time. The Freshmen especially enjoyed this first real social event.

Margaret Garside, 1915, president of the Barn, was hostess at both dances. She was assisted in the afternoon by Miss Davis, Miss Tufts and Marjorie Seely, vice-president of the Barn; in the evening by Miss Pendleton, Miss Waite and Marjorie Seely.

Oak leaves and green hunting gave a fresh appearance to the Barn. By dimming the lights, a subdued, soft effect was achieved, which made an effective, green background for the light gowns of the dancers.

Although the room was as crowded as ever, the usual confusion of wraps was prevented by a new cloak-room, opened in a wing to the right of the stage.

From the various speeches of welcome to the last dance, all were happy together.

Barn entertainments are always good fun, and this first one of the year was no exception.

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LAKE HOUSE.

When I reached Wellesley this fall, I calmly said to the College standard chauffeur, "Lake House, please." To my surprise he muttered, "Where?" and so I told him the whole long tale, "The Old Maids' dormitory beside College Hall." Whereupon he gave a knowing smile.

At present, Lake House rests firmly established in the hearts of its inmates. In brief detail, it stands a red brick building, four stories high, on the lake's edge. Miss Davis lives there, together with Miss Hart, Miss Fisher, Dr. Robertson, forty Seniors and ten Sophomores. There are many conveniences, among them fine shower baths and a laundry with electric heating. The section of College Hall saved from the fire, has been converted into a dining-room, the "Little Cafe."

The pride of the house is the enormous living-room, beautifully decorated in dull brown with a few tints of old rose. You recognize some of the old College Hall pictures: "Rock of Gibraltar," "Only a Mullein" and "Sunset." The furniture from the Faculty parlor is also there.

The questions, "Don't you feel isolated?" and "How can you bear to gaze at those mournful ruins?" are hurled at us on every side. Strictly speaking, Lake House is no farther away from the center of things than was College Hall. As for the ruins, if one possesses imagination, as much pleasure may be gained from the crumbled wall on the hillside, as from the Coliseum by moonlight. In the day-time—well, one gets used to all things, even the most vital. And so the whole air of newness combined with the old site and traditions makes everyone glad.

B. A., 1915.

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THE NEW FINANCIAL SCHEME.

A significant innovation this fall is the appointment, soon to take place, of a college auditor. This student officer will be chairman of a finance committee composed of the treasurers of the various college organizations, which committee will take charge of Pay Day and enforce businesslike methods in the handling of funds. We cannot speak too highly of this step. A large amount of money passes each year through the hands of our various treasurers; money which should be as carefully spent and as accurately accounted for, as any investment in the business world. In a sense, each due we pay to our class or club is an investment, on which we wish to realize the greatest possible amount of profit. The waste of our money through mere carelessness is as serious, for all practical purposes, as its loss through positive dishonesty. And one can scarcely expect an inexperienced bookkeeper to handle sums of money independently without making occasional mistakes.

The organization of all financial officers under a competent chairman, will control possibilities of error and place our various associations on a firmer business footing. Careful auditing of every account, however small, will soon do away with carelessness and undue extravagance in expenditure. The one further step which we should suggest is greater care in the election of treasurers. No doubt there will be much thought put into the choice of college auditor. It is fully as important that the financial officer of every organization should be thoughtfully chosen. Too often the office of treasurer is conferred upon a candidate who is worthy enough of the honor, but not fitted to meet that particular kind of responsibility. A girl who is to handle other people's money should, we venture to suggest, have a sufficient love of system and close, accurate work, to make her chief interest science and mathematics. The work of her office should be congenial to her, and made of great importance rather than held as a mere side issue. If our classes and various societies cannot, as a whole, hit upon the right person, let them empower their presidents to make the appointment, rather than get the wrong person for the sake of election. Enough depends on it to justify the greatest care.

A VOTE OF THANKS.

We are deeply indebted to Mr. Macdougall for his interested effort to make the new song book a success. We gratefully welcome this very complete collection, for although we have always, of course, known and sung our Wellesley songs they have never before been published in so satisfying a form. The editors have been extremely fortunate in their selection of the contents, for, besides those older songs endeared to many generations of Wellesley girls, they have included many of the newer ones that seem more particularly our own, and also the carols that are distinctive features of our chapel services at Christmas vespers. Tradition is never more convincing than when it is given permanent form and the Song Book appears at a most opportune moment, coming as it does at a time when we are less anxious than ever to lose sight of the old in the light of the new.

Mr. Macdougall has given further evidence of his very real interest in the life of the College by offering to play for us on Tuesday afternoons in the Houghton Memorial Chapel. This will be a pleasure that we shall eagerly anticipate and greatly enjoy, while for many of us the half hour of rest and relaxation will be an exceedingly profitable experience.

NEWS BOARD NOTES.

The NEWS Board has had to begin its new year with no office and three vacancies on its reporting staff. Its temporary short handedness has been allayed to some extent by the results of the competition which was opened for candidates to fill the vacancies. Thirty-five members of the Junior and Senior classes applied immediately for practice reporting assignments, and have been scouring the campus for news all the week. Nominations from their number will be presented to the classes of 1915 and 1916 at their first meetings.

The NEWS Board proposes to adhere very strictly to this policy of considering for office only those girls who have shown enough interest in the paper to compete. Careful record is kept of each contribution which comes in at any time for either NEWS or MAGAZINE.

We are pleased to report that an office is in process of being furnished and will be occupied, we hope, by the time our next issue goes to press. Its rather material surroundings (under the "Little Cafe" and next door to the ice-cream freezer and meat room) are nothing to the fact that it is large and light, with two roomy closets, and three windows, facing the ruins.

The October Magazine Supplement will come out on October 15th.

WE ARE MOVED TO REMARK

That "Father Student Government and Mother Christian Association" are uncomfortable, if congenial, as roommates.

That the vines on the hen coop are the real thing.

That the corridors between periods need traffic policemen.

That twenty-two competitors for one vacancy on the NEWS Board, speaks pretty well for 1916's opinion of the COLLEGE NEWS.

CAMPUS NOTES.

CHANGES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ART.

Associate-Professor Abbot, for nine years an important member of the Faculty of the Department of Art, has sent in her resignation, to take effect in January, 1915, in order to accept the position of instructor in the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York. The loss to the College is very great, but Miss Abbot does not leave until the difficult work of the first semester is finished, and an able substitute has been secured in Miss Freeman, the author of an important volume on Italian RenaissanceSculpture. Miss Freeman has spent much time studying in Europe duing the past fifteen years, and well known to art critics as a valuable writer.

CHANGES IN THE FRENCH DEPARTMENT.

Only two of its former members, Miss Gambrill and Mlle. Doby, are still with the French Department. Mrs. Irvine, a former president of Wellesley, who was head of the department last year, has returned to France. Mlle. Carret is head of the Maison Francaise at Columbia University, and teaches some classes at Barnard. The new head is Professor Louis Perdriau, previously of the French Departments of Williams College and of McGill University in Montreal. Mlle. Alice Pisseau and Mlle. Opoix were appointed instructors, but the latter has resigned on account of the war.

CHANGES IN THE LIBRARY.

During the summer there have been a number of changes in the library of interest to Faculty and students. The basement stack room has been shelved, and the books belonging to the Departments of Geology, Physics and Zoology, with a part of those belonging to the Departments of Botany and Chemistry, have been placed there. These are accessible to students, as are all other books in the library not in locked cases. On the two tiers at the back of this room on the right, however, there are certain small collections of books and pamphlets that are the property of different departments.

Room D in the basement is now provided with chairs and tables, and the newspapers have been placed at one end of the room. Room C has also been fitted with chairs and tables for study. In the cases at one end of this room will be found the books of the Morgan and Jewett Memorial Libraries, which may be used by students in the building, but may not be withdrawn from the library.

The library would like to ask any member of the Faculty or student body who may possess a complete or partial file of reports of the Christian Association, and who is willing to part with them, to let the library know of it. Unfortunately there was no file of these reports in the library when College Hall was burned.

Above the shelves devoted to new books on the left of the loan desk, there is a shelf containing books about the European War and the countries involved.

The library would like to call the attention of students to the changes in the library rules in this year's Handbook and to bring the following rules and regulations to their notice.

Throughout the academic year the General Library will be open every week day, holidays included, from 8.00 A.M., to 5.45 P.M., and from 7.15 P.M., to 9.30 P.M., and on Sunday from 2.00 P.M., to 5.30 P.M.

Books will not be charged to students between 5.30 P.M., and 5.45 P.M., or after 9.15, P.M.

Books reserved for class use will be loaned under special time limit, viz: from 9.00 P.M., on Saturday until 8.30 A.M., on the following Monday, and on other week days from 9.00 P.M., until 8.30 A.M., of the following day. Not more than two reserved books may be drawn at one time.

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By agreement with the Student Government Association, students who spill ink in the library are expected to report the fact at the desk and to pay for any damage done.

THE WELCOME TO 1918.

During their first week at Wellesley the Freshmen were welcomed in several informal gatherings. A minstrel show was given for them at the Barn, and a baseball game was played in their honor. They were given an opportunity to meet other members of the College at the Christian Association reception, and at teas given for them on the lawn near the library.

THE BASEMENT STORES.

Because of the great need for room the extra space in the basement of the chapel building has been utilized. The book-store is located at the south end, and the big room between that and the choir-room, has been occupied by the furniture exchange. This arrangement greatly facilitates the increased business of both the book and furniture industries at this rush season; and relieves the crowded condition of Music Hall.

The new NEWS office is in the basement of the building known as the "Little Cafe."

In order to clear the ground for the new building it has been necessary to transplant many of the elass trees that were planted close to College Hall.

A temporary, one-story, wooden building for the Zoology Department has been erected on the flat land northeast of Stone Hall.

Four tennis courts are being made next to the laundry. They are nearly completed and will be for social tennis, not for regular call-outs.

In addition to the rooms occupied in Music Hall since the fire, the bookstore is using space in the basement of the chapel.

The town and the College have laid a new cement walk on Center street between Fiske and Mary Hemenway Hall.

The crew boathouse has been overhauled this summer. The slips have been lowered and new runs have been put in.

The little cottage back of the boat house has been moved across the campus to the farm.

The pillars of the north porch of College Hall are being taken down in order that they may be preserved.

Miss Bates received the degree of Litt. D. from Middlebury College this summer.

Mrs. Magee is studying at Radcliffe this winter, for her Master's degree.

Miss Batchelder has been made one of the associate professors of English Composition.

It is reported that M. Perdriau, a new member of the French Faculty, may be called any hour by the French Consul to serve in the army.

PLANS FOR THE NEW DORMITORIES.

The first of the new dormitories which will replace College Hall, is to be begun in October. The old Center is to be preserved in an open circular court, and the dormitory, designed to accommodate two hundred persons, will enclose this court on three sides. The building is made possible by an anonymous gift of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, announced at Commencement last year. Later, two other dormitories, each accommodating one hundred persons, will be built on the foundations of the old library, and College Hall dining-room. A part of the materials for these buildings, is to be supplied from the ruins of College Hall. The usable materials, including bricks, iron, stone-work and some timber, are valued at one hundred thousand dollars; the bricks alone being worth about fifty thousand dollars.

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A WELCOME AND A PLEA.

Nineteen eighteen, you are conscious of having been welcomed to Wellesley by three of the all-college student organizations, and, although you may not realize it, the fourth one has also greeted you. The Christian Association has ushered you down a long receiving line, and has written the names of many of your future friends on cards for you to puzzle over in secret, trying vainly to match faces with them all. The Student Government Association has introduced you to a long list of rules and regulations, the irksomeness of which, however, is more than offset by the privileges of being a part of so powerful a factor in college life. The Barnswallows' Association has initiated you into the mysterious customs of its gregarious flock and has invited you to share its nest, which, though crowded in its physical capacity, seems to be quite unlimited in its capacity for giving enjoyment. So, too, the Athletic Association has asked you to come and play, and though perhaps in a less obvious manner, has suggested to you its ideals of outdoor life and fair play through the agency of group games. Next spring we are going to urge you to share with us the pleasures of organized sports, and we venture to hope that you will throw yourselves into their enjoyment with the same wholeheartedness which you have already shown for the other college activities.

And now we have a word for your older sisters. An editorial in the "News" for May 7, 1914, while speaking appreciatively of the improved sports facilities brought about under the auspices of the Athletic Association, issued at the same time a challenge, suggesting that the Athletic Association "assert itself as an organization a little more." Although a meeting of the Association has been held each year shortly after Field Day, the general tendency to overlook this event indicates, perhaps, insufficient advertisement. Therefore, the Executive Board wishes this year to rectify its previous failings, and hopes its future announcements may stimulate interest and action..

HELEN JOY SLEEPER, 1915.

SAYINGS OF THE WEEK:

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

"Cynicism is fermented foolishness."

"Remember that Wednesday is Thursday and Monday is Friday; is that perfectly clear?"

"One of the Faculty stood six hours on a dusty train—carrying German soldiers."

"The Student Government Association is as strong as its weakest, most irresponsible member."

FARNSWORTH ART MUSEUM.

LOAN COLLECTION OF FRAMED PICTURES.

A few pictures from this collection are still available to members of the College for decoration of private rooms. The fees for the year, to cover cost of maintaining the collection, are forty cents, seventy cents or one dollar, according to the value of the picture and frame. Some of the subjects still available are: Rheims Cathedral, west portal and rose window; Rembrandt's Mother (Hermitage collection); The Olympieion and Aeropolis, Athens; Velasquez's Surrender of Breda; Titian's Sacred and Profane Love; Giorgione's Knight of Malta; Carpaccio's S. George and the Dragon.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION MEETING.

President Pendleton led the union meeting of the Christian Association in Billings Hall on Wednesday evening, September 23. She spoke on the idea of the Holy Spirit, which is given in 1 Timothy 1: 7. "God gave us, not a spirit of fearfulness, but of power and love and discipline." The meeting was well attended.

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Bridgeport (organizing)	214.00	
Buffalo	593.60	45.00
Central California	675.00	566.00
Chicago	11,780.20	19,235.50
China	77.00	
Cincinnati	1,868.94	91.00
Cleveland (no report)	1,462.72	28,895.00
Colorado	719.00	472.00
Columbus	45.00	245.00
Detroit (no report)	974.27	1,080.00
Eastern New York	748.18	1,050.00
Fitchburg	908.00	45.00
Hartford	599.50	1,174.00
Indianapolis	305.00	45.00
Iowa	619.00	730.00
Kansas City	870.00	300.00
Kentucky	403.97	456.00
Madison, Wis.	250.80	290.00
Merrimack Valley	858.00	310.00
Milwaukee	1,476.00	400.00
Minneapolis	600.00	475.00
Nebraska	237.00	1,225.00
New Haven	489.73	101.00
New York City	12,697.14	14,301.00
Philadelphia	3,985.00	3,857.50
Pittsburgh	1,614.00	680.00
Portland, Me.	178.00	200.00
Portland, Ore.	318.00	178.00
Rhode Island	3,939.89	1,363.00
Rochester	544.70	1,245.00
Roekford, Ill.	1,015.00	150.00
St. Louis	6,019.00	830.00
St. Paul	612.00	1,434.00
Southern California	1,794.00	617.00
S. E. Massachusetts	327.03	255.00
S. E. Pennsylvania	623.00	367.50
Springfield, Ill.		5,000.00
Springfield, Mass.	1,125.00	2,486.00
Syracuse	1,000.70	1,315.00
Utah	60.00	
Washington, D. C.	1,554.85	901.00
Western Washington	133.00	67.00
Williamsport	410.00	621.00
Worcester	1,965.00	370.00
State Committees.		
Arizona and New Mexico	245.00	141.00
Canada	32.00	25.00
Delaware		200.00
Hawaii	410.40	
Idaho	10.00	
Kansas	95.00	25.00
Montana		100.00
North Dakota	14.50	
Oklahoma	5.00	
South Dakota	101.00	51.00
Southern States	1,491.55	580.00
Vermont	417.00	340.00
West Virginia	27.00	
Wyoming	16.50	
Alumnæ at Large	4,732.95	634.50
Town of Wellesley Alumnæ and Former Students	399.14	
Through the Alumnæ Committee for Restoration and Endowment	10,000.00	30,000.00
	$102,056.78	$131,972.50
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Pledged since June, 1913		131,972.50
Class Gifts not yet Reported to Clubs		12,747.00
Through Class of '79		250,000.00
		$496,776.28
Paid and Pledged before the Fire		$ 15,000.00
Paid and Pledged since the Fire		481,776.28
		459,855.02
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A MESSAGE FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT

It is only fitting that the first word the Student Government Association has to say should be spoken to its new members; therefore, first of all, we welcome you, 1918, most warmly into the privileges and opportunities of Wellesley, and of Wellesley's self-government. You may not understand exactly what it means—you may not appreciate the chances it gives you to develop, by teaching you to govern yourself—you may not enjoy the details of it which apply to your own particular pleasure; but I hope that from the beginning, you will have faith enough in the people who have planned and carried out Student Government all these years, to be sure that its ideals for us are always the highest we could ask, and its rules almost always wise and just. It asks you to be your finest self always; it asks you to give it your finest loyalty.

To those of us to whom Student Government is not new, there comes a slightly different message. For us it is a renewal of our pledge to meet together in Wellesley once more, thinking of the year behind with its catastrophe,—which proves, beyond any question, the value of the self-control we have learned here,—and thinking of the year ahead with its difficulties and its wonderful possibilities.

In the past, there has been a feeling among many members of the Association that the rules we have are forced on us arbitrarily; that we ourselves have nothing to say about them; that they are inconvenient, unreasonable and unnecessary; and that the affairs of the Association in general are carried on by boards and committees acting behind closed doors. There has been a great deal of dissatisfaction, some of it just, and some of it unjust.

In the first place, let us remember that this community is like any other community: there must be laws for the good of the whole. If you own property in a city, there is a law requiring you to shovel off the snow from the sidewalks in front of your property during the winter; if you own an automobile, there is a law requiring you to keep to the right of the road, and to stop your machine on certain sides of certain streets. There are any number of such laws, some of them inconvenient,

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A victim of circumstance dire,
Has gone to Europe, in peace at last,
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Deluded, denuded and worn
She returns and forgets it not:
She has run from the frying-pan into the fire,
And found them both very hot. R. J. K.

A STUDY IN EMOTION.

(The way a Senior feels when she first wears her cap and gown.)

COLLEGE NIGHTS.

(With apologies to Robert Louis Stevenson.)

Whenever the sun has gone to rest,
Whenever to bed I hie,
All night long, with fiendish zest,
The watchman goes stamping by.
Late in the night when the fires are out,
Why does he stamp and stamp about?

Whenever the girls are sleeping sound,
And dreaming quite peacefully,
By, in the corridors, long on his round,
By at the gallop goes he;
By at the gallop he goes, and then
By he comes back at the gallop again.
H. H. P., 1916.

A POEM AFTER WALT WHITMAN.

(Also after a three-months' Vacation).

Free, fresh, savage,
Not fluent, lazy, rusty of pen, fond of gossip and dancing,
Fond of frivolous seaside summering grounds,
Fond of arising at ten with no clangor of bells,
Girl of the Mannahatta, the city of 'lectric lights,
Or from the breezorous Middle West,
Or the South, or a feminine young Lochinvar just come out of California*—
I have picnicked in woods other than those known as West,
I have canoed on lakes not Waban by name,
I have played bridge, danced, ridden, and read Robert Chambers,
I have indulged in innumerable summer flirtations—
Now I withdraw to muse and meditate over the winter,
Aware of the rising-bell, chapel-bell, lecture-bell, dressing-bell, closing-bell,
Aware of the breakfast-bell, luncheon-bell, dinner-bell,
Solitary, behind a Busy Sign, I strike out on a new semester.

*Student paraphrasing Scott: "Lochinvar, Jr., has just come out of California."

A SONG OF THE ROAD.

Have you ever gone a tripping into Boston-town
On the train
Au Touraine?
Ha veyou ev ertried to read your COLLEGE NEWS
As you sped,
Straight ahead,
B. and A. bed?
Have you ever not icedhow thel etters
flyab out
Wheny ous werver—
Ounda curve?
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(True, by the way.)

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A MESSAGE FROM STUDENT GOVERNMENT

none of them made directly by yourself,—but you obey them unquestioningly. This community is no different; here, as everywhere, if you do not like a law, the first thing to do is to try to find out a reason for it. There is usually a very good reason; for example, the reason we have registration is because many years ago, a girl was lost from the College three or four days without anyone suspecting her whereabouts. There are few cases where the reason is not perfectly evident; but if you have honestly tried to find a good reason and failed, then the next thing to do is to come to Student Government meeting and vote against the rule. If it is not really a good rule, other people will agree with you, and you can change it; if it is a good rule really, you will find that you were looking at it from your own point of view only. In any event, nothing is ever gained by staying at home and grumbling about it, and it is certainly dishonest to show your dislike of it by evading it whenever possible.

We may not be able to see the wonderful opportunities in Student Government, and the wonderful gift it was to us, as others do who work with it and through it constantly; but let us each realize how petty and small it is of us to underestimate its value, when we think of the thousands of girls in this place who have believed inplicitly in what it could mean, and have helped to make it what it is. Student Government is not a temporary thing, for us to like or dislike as we happen to choose; it is not like a course of study, which some of us may elect and thoroughly enjoy, while others may avoid it. It has been here for years; it is built in the very structure of Wellesley; and it is not for us, who are here to-day and gone to-morrow, to pass our judgment upon it; the very idea seems ridiculous. It is for us to try to gain some conception of what it has meant to other people; to leave our little impression upon it in passing.

RACHEL DAVIS.

BOOKLET OF COLLEGE HALL.

The attention of Alumnæ and students of the College is called to the booklet recently published in memory of College Hall. It contains an historical sketch by Martha Hale Shackford, '96, of the Department of English Literature, and over forty-five views of the building collected by Edith A. Moore, 1900. Profits from the sales go to the Fire Fund. There is no more appropriate way of adding a mite to the fund than by purchasing one of these booklets to keep fresh our memories of College Hall.

The price is one dollar, post-paid. Orders may be sent to Miss M. H. Shackford, 7 Midland Road, Wellesley, Mass., or copies may be purchased at the booth near Music Hall, 1-1.15, except Saturdays.

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THE WELLESLEY SONG BOOK.

The new Wellesley Song Book, containing the old songs and the new College favorites is now ready. Price, $1.00. Postpaid, $1.10. Orders may be sent to the College Bookstore or to Mr. H. C. Macdougall, Wellesley College. Everybody interested in Wellesley should have one.

THE VILLAGE SOPHOMORES.

The Registrar's office shows a total of one hundred and fifteen members of the class of 1917 living in the village. They are rooming as follows: 21 at the Birches, 26 at the Elms, 8 at Mrs. Hart's, 11 at Joslin House, 15 at Leighton House, 16 at Lovewell House, 9 at Webster House and 71 at 9 Cross street. There are, besides these, 21 students entering on advanced standing,—of these, 10 live at Miss Hand's 3 at Mrs. Comiskey's and 8 at Mrs. Woodward's. The Elliott dining-room takes 26, the Ridgeway 37, the Maples 2. One new dining-room accommodating 50 Sophomores has been opened at Lovewell House.

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There are 398 in the class: 77 from Massachusetts, 47 from New York, 42 from Pennsylvania, 6 from Iowa, 3 from Oregon, and 2 each from Nebraska, Kansas and Mississippi. there are representitives, also, from New Mexico, Wyoming, Arkansas, Georgia, Washington, California, Idaho, Hawaii, Turkey, Persia, and China. The record of physical examinations shows that an unusually large majority have had gymnastic training and out-door sports.

GRADUATE CLUB RECEPTION.

On Friday evening, September 25, at the Zeta Alpha House, the Graduate Club held its first reception. Miss Waite, Miss Tufts, Miss Davis, and Miss McClellan received, and students and guests numbered about seventeen or eighteen. Many thanks are due to Miss McClellan, the chairman, for the efficient way in which she has provided for the comfort and pleasure of the graduate students ever since the beginning of the College. It is hoped that this year will be an especially active one for the club.

THEATER NOTES.

PLYMOUTH THEATER.

The new comedy "Wanted $22,000," opens at the Plymouth Theater, next Monday night. That New England play-goers are unusually interested in the new comedy, is evidenced in the advance seat sale the opening night. The piece is the work of the A. E. Thomas, best known as author of "The Rainbow" and other big successes and Clayton Hamilton, who has been a big contributor to magazines. It is produced by Cohan and Harris. The cast includes such conpetent players as Ernest Glendenning, Richard Sterling, Isabel Garrison, Hazel Lowry and Frances Wright. Mail orders should be payable to Fred E. Wright. Saturday will be the regular matinees.

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ALUMNÆ DEPARTMENT.

A CORRECTION.

An error in printing makes the report of the Alumnæ General Secretary, in the Commencement number of the NEWS, state that three hundred and twenty Alumnæ have not been reached because of missing addresses. This number should have been thirty-two. It has since been reduced to twenty-one.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED FROM 1914.

Jean H. Miller to Edmund Schloss. Marriage on June 11.

Helen A. Nixon to Curtis M. Hilliard, Dartmouth, 1909, of Braintree, Mass., Professor of Biology and Sanitary Science at Simmons College, Boston.

Beatrice M. Henly to Edward Curtis Matthews, Jr., Bowdoin, 1910, of Portsmouth, N. H., Assistant Treasurer of the Piscataqua Savings Bank of Portsmouth.

Helen D. Hayward to Donald M. Keith of Brockton, Mass.

Saba D. Thomas to Paul Foster, Boston University, 1913, student in the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

Jessie E. Asher to Rubin H. Bowden, Columbia, 1914, of Jacksonville, Florida.

Miriam Shoe to Abbot P. Usher, Harvard, 1904, of Grafton, Mass., Associate Professor of Economics at Cornell.

Addie Bernice Reed to Walter Annon, Minnesota University, 1914, of Minneapolis. Mr. Annon is to study medicine for the next three years, while Miss Reed studies nursing, with the intention of later going out as missionaries to China.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Maude B. Frantz, 1909, to Dexter Wright Draper, M.D., U. of P. Medical, 1909, of Williamsburg, Va.

Rhoda L. Nickerson, 1909, to Otto Burckhardt, of New Britain, Conn.

Alice C. Forbes, 1912, M.A., 1914, to Harold B. Hayden, Harvard, 1899, of Framingham, Mass.

Ruth Steel Waldron, 1913, to Stowe D. Baldwin.

Mary S. Nye, 1904, to William McArthur Scott of Spokane, Wash.

Marie L. Kasten, 1910, to Hugh Huntington Dyar, University of Wisconsin, 1911, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Leila R. Morris, 1911, to John Gordon Baragwanath, Columbia, 1909, of Peru, South America.

MARRIAGES.

GEORGE—BEERS. In New Haven, Conn., on July 22, 1914, Jane Fitch Beers, 1900, to Reverend James Hardin George.

WALKER—SAVILLE. At Quincy, Mass., on June 5, 1914, Gerna Saville, 1908, to Dr. Lewis M. Walker of Medfield.

CARY—DURANT. At Wellesley, on June 29, 1914, Lois Pierson Durant, School of Music Certificate, 1913, to Dr. Albert Ely Cary of Hartford, Conn.

HATCH—NOERA. In Boston, on September 2, 1914, Edith Frances Noera, formerly of 1916, to Dr. Royal Hatch, of Wellesley.

WINTER—BURNETT. In New York City, on July 6, 1914, Kathlene C. Burnett, 1913, to Archie Fillans Winter, Harvard, 1913.

GULICK—ROBERTS. At Bristol, Conn., on July 18, 1914, Mary Roberts, 1907, to Lewis Ransom Gulick, Cornell, 1904. Eleanor Goodrich, 1907, was maid of honor, and Lou Roberts, 1911, and Grace Roberts, 1917, were bridesmaids.

BADGER—MILLS. At Winchester, Mass., on September 19, 1914, Margaret Mills, 1908, to Paul B. Badger.

STINSON—MERRICK. Irene Townsend Merrick, 1905-06, to James P. Stimson, Syracuse, 1908.

SPRAGUE—STRYKER. In Duluth, Minn., on August 3, 1914, Harriet Louise Stryker, 1911, to Fayette Wright Sprague.

PICKERELL—FULLER. In Cleveland, Ohio, Doris Fuller, H. P. E., 1911, to Gordon C. Pickerell.

COYLE—DOUGLAS. At Newton, N. J., on September 3, 1914, Isadore Douglas, 1910, to David C. Coyle.

BUSH—CONWAY. In New York City, on September 16, 1914, Marion Conway, 1905, to John Haskin Bush, Fordham University. At home after October 15, Heathcote Inn, Searsdale, N. Y.

LITTLE—ROBERTSON. At Wabash, Indiana, on June 24, 1914, Helen Robertson, 1912, to Reverend Robert Little.

PRESCOTT—PITMAN. At Laconia, N. H., on September 3, 1914, Josephine Woodbury Pitman, 1912, to Edgar Brown Prescott.

DREYFUS—GOULSTON. At Swampscott, Mass., on August 2, 1914, Sylvia Therese Goulston, 1914, to Carl Dreyfus.

BEEBE—WHITTEN. At Wakefield, Mass., on June 24, 1914, Gladys Winsor Whitten, 1912, to Marcus Beebe.

REYNOLDS—KELLY. In Brooklyn, N. Y., on June 23, 1914, Imogene Kelly, 1911, to Charles Augustus Reynolds. At home after September 15, Charlotte Street, White Plains, N. Y.

ROBBINS—HUNTING. At Ames, Iowa, on June 24, 1914, Helen Hunting, 1910, to Frank A. Robbins. At home after September 1, 419 Lynn Avenue, Ames, Iowa.

SHERROD—NOFSINGER. In Kansas City, Mo., on August 1, 1914, Elizabeth Nofsinger, 1910, to John Peyton Sherrod, Jr., of Kansas City.

KINGSLEY—SEELMAN. In Brooklyn, N. Y., on June 26, 1914, H. Elizabeth Seelman, 1898, to Clarence Darwin Kingsley, Colgate, 1897.

PEARL—RHODES. At Brookline, Mass., on May 5, 1914, Hazel Ayer Rhodes, 1910, to Holman I. Pearl, Tech., 1910.

HILLIARD—NIXON. At Wollaston, Mass., on June 30, 1914, Helen A. Nixon, 1914, to Curtis Morrison Hilliard.

HENDERSON—MEVIS. In Pittsburgh, on September 15, 1914, Gertrude A. Mevis, 1908, to Stuart Llewellyn Henderson. At home after November 1, 1108 Braddock Avenue, Swissvale, Pa.

STORER—KIRKPATRICK. At Northampton, Mass., on August 22, 1914, Alice May Kirkpatrick, 1899, to Eugene Hamilton Storer. At home after October 1, University of Idaho, Moscow, Idaho.

PYKE—TAFT. At Pei Tai Ho, China, on August 6, 1914, Frances Louise Taft, 1909, to Frederick Merrill Pyke.

HALLENBECK—SMEDLEY. At Bradford, Pa., on May 20, 1914, Lydia Martin Smedley, 1902, to George E. Hallenbeck, Purdue, 1900.

CHURCHILL—FRANZEN. At Guntur, India, on May 5, 1914, Anna Eleanor Franzen, 1911, to David Carroll Churchill. At home, Ahmednagar, India.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS.

Mabel E. Emerson, 1905, to 6 Florence Street, Andover, Mass.

Helen M. Farwell, 1908, to 18 Ripley Terrace, Newton Center, Mass.

Ethel W. Putney, 1902, to 540 West 122d Street, New York City.

Mrs. Archie F. Winter, (Kathlene Burnett, 1913), to Kennebunk, Maine.

Mrs. James P. Stimson, (Irene T. Merrick, 1905-06), to 828 S. West Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Fayette Wright Sprague, (Harriet Stryker, 1911), to Sauk Center, Minn.

Mrs. Paul Illman, (Jeanne Guyot, 1911), to 46 Cambridge Avenue, Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Robert Little, (Helen Robertson, 1912), to 122 E. Grant Street, New Castle, Pa.

Mrs. George W. Lewis, (Alice Merrill, 1913), to 13 Stockton Street, Dorchester, Mass.

Mrs. Walter R. Lambert, (Florence Olney, 1909), 15 East Tenth Street, New York City. (Correct address.)

Kate Watkins Tibbals, 1899, St. John's Rectory, Sandy Hook, Conn. (Correct address.)

Mrs. John Peyton Sherrod, Jr., (Elizabeth Nofsinger, 1910), to 4501 Robert Gilliam Road, Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Edwin Schloss, (Jean Miller, 1914), to 1524 Poplar Street, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Clarence Darwin Kingsley, (H. Elizabeth Seelman, 1898), to 65 Langdon Street, Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Holman I. Pearl, (Hazel Ayer Rhodes, 1910), to Wakefield, Mich.

Mrs. A. F. Ufford, (Lottie Hartwell, 1906), to Fairfax, Vt.

Mrs. James Hardin George (Jane Beers, 1900), to Trinity Rectory, Newtown, Conn.

Mrs. George E. Hallenbeck, (Lydia Smedley, 1902), to 2403 Lawrence Avenue, Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. George Winslow Perkins, (Florence M. Tobey, 1894), to 31 Crawford Street, Roxbury, Mass.

BIRTHS.

At Lyons, N. Y., on August 19, 1914, a daughter, Anne, to Mrs. Reuben Spencer Simpson (Tusanelda Nusbickel, 1904).

At York, Pa., on June 24, 1914, a son, Charles Henry, to Mrs. I. Henry Farnham, (Florence M. Smith, 1908).

At Corning, Iowa, on August 29, 1914, a daughter, Barbara Isabelle, to Mrs. Agnes Widner Cupp, 1912.

At Syracuse, N. Y., on June 26, 1914, a second daughter, Anne Gidley, to Mrs. Charles H. Carter, (Jessie Gidley, 1906).

At West Newton, Mass., on April 26, 1914, a daughter to Mrs. J. Edgar Park, (Grace Burtt, 1900).

At Albany, N. Y., on July 11, 1914, a third son John, to Mrs. Henry D. Rodgers, (Louise Allen, 1903).

On July 15, 1914, a son, Addison Beecher, Jr., to Mrs. Addison Beecher Scoville (Charlotte May Stackhouse, 1912).

On June 7, 1914, a second daughter, Jean Barnes, to Mrs. Thomas Barnes Wolfe. (Eleanor Ferguson, 1901).

On February 4, 1914, a daughter, Natalie Alice, to Mrs. Francis E. Drake, (Grace Johnson, 1905).

DEATHS.

At Bristol, Conn., on September 3, 1914, Alice Crampton Cook, 1906-07.

At Albany, N. Y., on September 20, 1914, Margaret Whitney Mears, 1909, wife of Professor Brainerd Mears of Williams College.

At Melrose, Mass., on July 13, 1914, Ernest L. Carr, brother of Grace B. Carr, 1894.

At Newton, Mass., Charles E. Townsend, father of Grace B. Townsend, 1896.

At Wellesley, on August 3, 1914, Reverend Charles H. Daniels, father of Margaret Daniels, Mount Holyoke, 1911, and graduate student at Wellesley, 1911-12.

At Cambridge, Mass., on August 6, 1914, Reverend Alexander McKenzie, D.D., President Emeritus of the Board of Trustees.

At Nantucket, Mass., on August 12, 1914, Reverend John Snyder, father of Elizabeth Snyder Delano, 1896.

At Natick, Mass., on August 10, 1914, Annie F. Babcock, 1902.

At Germantown, Pa., on September 19, 1914, Dorothy Williams, 1909, sister of Katherine Williams, 1912, and of Helen Williams, 1915.

In Columbus, Ohio, on August 22, 1914, Helen R. Benua, of the class of 1917.

At Stamford, Conn., on July 20, 1914, James McCutcheon, father of Theodora McCutcheon, 1913.

On June 14, 1914, Helen Hinds, 1908-09.

At Lynnfield Center, Mass., on June 26, 1914, Mary Elizabeth Hastings, mother of Mabel S. Hastings, 1891-93.

At Arlington, Mass., on August 16, 1914, Walter L. Hill, husband of Nannie Squire Hill, 1875-83, and father of Marion S. Hill, 1911.

On September 10, 1914, Evelyn C. Terry, of the class of 1915.

On July 3, 1914, Elinor Farrington, 1907-10.

OBITUARY.

Harriet Fisher Sawin.

On July 14, 1914, Harriet Fisher Sawin of the class of 1891 died after an operation undergone a fortnight before.

For seven years after her graduation she taught in Lincoln, and for the six following years in Cambridge. In 1904 she became supervisor of physical training in the Lincoln public schools, and at the same time began work for her master's degree at Wellesley. A serious trouble with her eyes prevented her continued study and influenced her to take up the work of physical training. After taking her diploma from Dr. Sargent's Normal School with "honors in theory" in 1908, she became student-assistant in anatomy under Dr. Sargent and taught in his evening classes for two years. She next started a private class in Lynn, and was also physical director of the Haverhill Y. W. C. A. In the following year she became physical director at the Rest Room, Lynn, and later held private classes under the name of the North Shore Woman's Gymnasium. She was also director of physical training in the Y. W. C. A. at Newburyport and Peabody, and of the gymnasium summer classes at the Boston Y. W. C. A.

She was very successful in her chosen work of teaching, and her courageous spirit and unselfish life brought out good wherever she went.

Signed, Bertha Palmer Lane,
For the Class of 1891.

1887-'90—Mrs. Cato Sells (Lola McDavid) has been taking a prominent part in the social life of Washington since her husband became Commissioner of Indian Affairs under the Democratic Administration.

1887—Mrs. Alice Vant George gave three lectures in May, 1914, for the benefit of the Bridgeport, Conn., Fresh Air Association. The subjects were "Dorothy Wordsworth, "Mary Lamb," and "Elizabeth Barrett Browning and Lady Tennyson." The society cares for convalescents from the Bellevue Hospital.

1892—Mary Alice Emerson has been connected for the last year with the literature department of Boston University, where she will also be next year. She is also doing assistant's work in the Harvard Extension Courses.

'95—Through the efforts of Alice Hunt and those who have worked with her the proprietors of department stores in Providence have been persuaded to close their stores on Saturday at six, P.M.

'96—Jennie R. Beal has severed her connection with the school in Philadelphia where she has been for thirteen years.

1900—Mrs. Gordon Walker Caine expects to visit this country this summer, the first time since her marriage in England ten years ago. Mr. Caine is a playwright and the author of several books.

1901—Alice Logan Dunlap is now living at Chefu where her husband, Dr. Dunlap, expects to be located permanently.

1901—Erminia Whitley, who has spent the last four years teaching in Alhert Lea College, will be at home next year in Plattsburg, N. Y.

1901—Mary Leavens in addition to teaching planned and executed on May 16 a wonderfully successful benefit for the Restoration and Endowment Fund in opening to the public Hallowell House in Jamaica Plain. Hallowell House was built by a Tory general in 1738. Another attraction was dancing by Miss Chamberlain, who interpreted a poem written for the occasion and also presented in colonial costume old English dances. There were also souvenirs, flowers and candy for sale.

1902—Ethel W. Putney will spend next year in the Teachers' College, Columbia, in preparation for later work as teacher under the American Board in Constantinople.

1905—Clara S. Chase received her Master's degree from Radcliffe in June, 1913.

1906—Carolyn R. Holt will teach next year in the Lynn, Mass., Classical High School.

1907—Edith Scamman spoke at the Wellesley Hills Congregational Church in April on "An Alien Faith and its Subtle Menace to our Homes, our State, and our Religion," being an account of her investigation into the growth of the Morman faith along the Maine coast.

1908—Katharine Hazeltine has gone as a teacher to Van, in the northeastern corner of the Turkish empire. She has been teaching this last year in Montclair, N. J.

1909—Martha Drake has been teaching for six months in Jeffers, Mont. She has now accepted a position as private secretary to the director of the Farmers' Institute and Experiment Station of the State Agricultural College in Bozeman, Mont.

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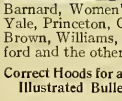

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